

Bourne Bar Association. Board of Directors, Children's Hospital National Medical Center, 1973-81; Suburban Maryland Fair Housing, 1973-75. Member, Country Place Citizens Association Covenants Committee (vice-chair, 1977; chair, 1978; board of directors, 1981-84). Assistant professorial lecturer, George Washington University College of General Studies, Graduate School of Forensic Science, 1978-80; guest lecturer, Street Law Program, Montgomery County Detention Center, 1979-. Lecturer, University of Maryland University College, 1989-. Adjunct Faculty, Washington College of Law, The American University, 1991-. Life member, National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP). Member, Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity, Inc., IUL Chapter. Outstanding Citizen of the Year, 1982, Omega Psi Phi Fraternity, Mu Nu Chapter; Montgomery County NAACP Award, 1984.

LOUIS A. BECKER III, *Associate Judge*, Howard County Circuit Court, 5th Judicial Circuit, since August 11, 2005.

Member, Inquiry Panel, Attorney Grievance Commission, 1975-80. Associate Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 10, Howard County, September 8, 1989 to August 11, 2005. Member, Judicial Education Committee, 1996-2000, District Court of Maryland. Member, Civil Law and Procedure Committee, Maryland Judicial Conference, 2001-04. Member, Drug Treatment Court Commission, 2002-. *Born in Baltimore, Maryland, January 28, 1944. Attended Loyola High School, Towson, Maryland; Loyola College, B.S. (political science), 1965; University of Baltimore School of Law, J.D., 1970. Admitted to Maryland Bar, 1970. Member, American Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association (board of governors, 1982-84; ethics committee, 1982-93; solo small/firm practice section council, 1994; chair, 1999-2000); Howard County Bar Association (president & director, 1980-82). Past president and master, Macgill Inn of Court. Instructor (search & seizure law; lawyer & judicial ethics), Judicial Institute of Maryland; New Trial Judges Orientation course; Maryland Institute for Continuing Professional Education of Lawyers (MICPEL). Adjunct faculty (professional responsibility & bench trial advocacy), University of Baltimore School of Law, 1994- (past member, advisory council). Tribute for outstanding service, Maryland State Bar Association, 1982-84. Solo/Small Firm Bar Leader of the Year Award, American Bar Association, 2000. Adjunct Professor of the Year, University of Baltimore School of Law, 2003.*

KATHLEEN LEONARD BECKSTEAD, *Associate Judge*, Wicomico County Circuit Court, 1st Judicial Circuit, since August 4, 2000.

Master of Domestic and Juvenile Law, Wicomico County Circuit Court, 1996-2000. Member, Trial Courts Judicial Nominating Commission, 1st Commission District, 1999-; Delinquency Prevention Board, and Local Management Board, Partnership for Families and Children, Wicomico County. *Born in Galveston, Texas, July 28, 1961. Villanova University, B.A. (political science), 1983; University of Baltimore School of Law, J.D., 1987. Law*

clerk to Judge Alfred T. Truitt, Jr., and Judge D. William Simpson, Wicomico County Circuit Court. Attorney, Anthenelli & Orway, 1988-96 (partner, 1994-96). Admitted to Maryland Bar. Member, Maryland State Bar Association (family & juvenile law section, 1997-; family & juvenile law section council, 1999-); Women's Bar Association, Eastern Shore Chapter (founder, 1991; treasurer, 1992; president, 1998); Wicomico County Bar Association (vice-president, 1992; president, 1993; secretary, 1994, 1998). Member, First Thursday Law Group.

STUART R. BERGER, *Associate Judge*, Baltimore City Circuit Court, 8th Judicial Circuit, since December 21, 1998. Judge-in-Charge of Criminal Docket, 2001-03. Member, Juvenile Law Committee, 1999-2001, Maryland Judicial Conference.

Chair, Criminal Justice Coordinating Council, Baltimore City, 2001-03. Member, State Advisory Board for Juvenile Services, 2002-04. *Born in Baltimore, Maryland, April 30, 1959. Attended Park School; Bucknell University, B.A. (economics), cum laude, 1981; University of Baltimore School of Law, J.D., 1984. Staff member, University of Baltimore Law Review, 1982-84. Attorney in private practice, 1984-98. Attorney at Melnicove, Kauffman, Weiner, Smouse & Garbis, P.A., 1984-89. Attorney at Weinberg & Green, LLC, 1989-93. Member, Weinberg & Green, LLC, 1993-98. Member, Saul Ewing, LLP, 1998. Member, American Bar Association; Maryland State Bar Association (committee to revise the Maryland pattern jury instructions for criminal cases, 2003-); Baltimore City Bar Association. Fellow, Maryland Bar Foundation. Author, "Criminal Procedure - Constitutional Law - Refusal to Allow Defendant to Introduce Testimony of Alibi Witness Was Neither an Abuse of Discretion Nor a Violation of Due Process When the Defendant Failed to Comply with Procedural Notice of Alibi Rule," *University of Baltimore Law Review* (vol. 13). *American Jurisprudence Award for Legal Skills, University of Baltimore School of Law, 1982.**

MARIELSA A. BERNARD, *Associate Judge*, Montgomery County Circuit Court, 6th Judicial Circuit, since March 1, 2002. Associate Judge, District Court of Maryland, District 6, Montgomery County, October 16, 1998 to March 1, 2002. Member, Criminal Law and Procedure Committee, 1999-2001, and Public Awareness Committee, 2001-04, Maryland Judicial Conference. Member, Business and Technology Division Task Force, 2000; Public Trust and Confidence Implementation Committee, 2000-; Commission on Racial and Ethnic Fairness in the Judicial Process, 2002-04. Member, Juvenile Drug Court Initiative Committee, Montgomery County Circuit Court, 2003-.

Member, East County Advisory Board, Montgomery County, 1994-96; Hispanic and Latino Advisory Group to County Executive, Montgomery County, 1994-98; Community Partnership Board, Montgomery County, 1995-98; Steering Committee, Bi-County Task Force on Gang Activity, 2004 (co-chair, suppression subcommittee). *Born in Washington, DC, October 15, 1955. Attended Thomas S. Wootton High School, Rockville, Maryland;*